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# Marian shrine

**Trail blazer.** Former pageant winner Jillian Patricia Pirtle has paused her own emerging career to help preserve the Marian Anderson Historical Residence Museum in South Philadelphia. PAGE 02

Paintings in the Marian Anderson Historical Residence Museum. / CHARLES MOSTOLLER, METRO

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# Pageant queen works to restore black landmark

**Curator.** Jillian Patricia Pirtle runs the Marian Anderson Residence Museum in South Philly.

When Jillian Patricia Pirtle took over a museum dedicated to a famous Philadelphian, she was stunned to find many people had never heard of the museum's subject — who had died just two decades earlier.

"When people in Philadelphia don't know that a legend such as Marian Anderson lived here for over 60 years … that surprises me," said Pirtle, CEO of the Marian Anderson museum and its affiliated society. "The city has made a huge effort in bringing attention to Betsy Ross and other colonial white artifacts, but could do a lot more to focus on black monuments such as this."

The Marian Anderson Historical Residence Museum on South Martin off Catherine Street is recognized by the Philadelphia Historical Commission and was declared a historic property in 2004. Anderson, the famed classical singer that broke racial boundaries in music and the civil rights movement, lived in the three-floor, nine-room home with her family for more than 60 years until her death in 1993.

"People, including the former owner who lived in this house for 40 years, didn't even know Marian lived here," said Blanche Burton-Lyles, a protégée of Anderson.

The fully preserved South Philadelphia property, which was purchased by Anderson in 1924 for $4,000, is a symbol of the city's relationship with black musicians.

"Marian was one of the greatest opera performers of the 20th century," said Pirtle, who is also a registered historian. "But she wasn't a diva — she allowed many talented black entertainers who weren't allowed entry into Center City hotels and restaurants a place to stay."

Pirtle, who is a renowned songstress, Broadway musical actress, and former Miss Pennsylvania Essence, took the position in 2013 after Burton-Lyles reached out to her.

"I had been a part of the museum since its inception in 1995 as a scholar, performer and ambassador for the society," Pirtle said. "Given that I had a deep passion for Marian, history and curating artifacts — Blanche bestowed this generational honor to help pass on the legacy."

As a University of the Arts graduate and Philadelphia native, Pirtle now commits herself "wholeheartedly to the conservation of Marian's legacy" to frequent tourists. The attraction has been visited by actors and supported by Harry Belafonte and Gregory Peck with even a grant from prolific producer Quincy Jones.

But currently, Pirtle said attendance numbers and outside donations have "dwindled down over the years," as the "current visibility and awareness from across the city has died down as well."

"We receive funding from the Activities Fund Grant that our district Councilman Kenyatta Johnson helps allocate … but we would love to see more support beyond that," Pirtle said. "I would love to see all of the minority entities receive the same kind of success."

Jillian Pirtle, CEO of the Marian Anderson Historical Museum, stands in the museum. / CHARLES MOSTOLLER

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**"People, including the former owner who lived in this house for 40 years, didn't even know Marian lived here."**

Blanche Burton-Lyles

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## Hail Mary. Eagles' Bradford says pope can bless his knee

Bradford / CHARLES MOSTOLLER

With Pope Francis slated to visit Philadelphia in just over a month, Eagles fans took to the Web with a petition to have the pontiff bless perhaps the most important object in Philly this fall: Sam Bradford's knee.

With more than 1,500 fans signing the petition as of Tuesday afternoon, the quarterback himself couldn't help but find himself intrigued.

"I haven't seen that, but I was told about it before I came to talk to you guys," the quarterback said to interested members of the media after Eagles training camp Tuesday. "If I got to meet the pope, I guess that would be pretty cool. If he wanted to bless my knee, I would be fine with that."

Bradford is in the midst of a comeback from his second torn ACL. And the health of his knee is key for the Eagles as they prepare to begin their preseason games Sunday at home against the Colts.

"With this Eagles season coming up, a lot of our Super Bowl hopes rely on Sam Bradford's knees staying healthy," the petition reads. "So, with one of the most religious representatives in the world visiting our wonderful place we call home, how about we get him to bless Bradford's knees during his visit to Philly! This town deserves a Super Bowl, and a healthy Bradford is the only way we will have a parade down Broad Street!"

One hang-up does exist, though. The Eagles will be in New York to face the Jets when the pope is in town. But some creative scheduling could make the blessing a possibility.

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The suspects / PROVIDED

The gleeful tire slashing spree happened around 2 a.m. Tuesday around the 100 and 300 blocks of Queen Street, the 800 block of South Swanson Street and the 800 block of S. Third Street. Anyone with info is asked to call South Detectives at 215-685-3013.

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# Pa. mother shares the love and the breast milk

**Milk maid.** Jessica Anne Colletti calls her child and the neighbor's son she suckles "milk siblings."

A Conshohocken woman has a novel way of spreading the gospel of breastfeeding: by not only nursing her own 16-month-old child but also an 18-month-old neighbor boy, too.

Jessica Anne Colletti submitted a picture nursing both children to the Mama Bean Parenting Facebook group. In the photo, two young children are seen suckling at either of Colletti's breasts.

Mama Bean describes itself as "a space to accept and celebrate the realities of motherhood." In other words, they share their experience, strength and hope with one another as they try to navigate motherhood.

So, in honor of World Breastfeeding Week, which ended last Friday, followers of the blog submitted photos of themselves breastfeeding children via social media. Those submissions included Colletti's.

The submission quickly set off a firestorm of debate and, of course, attention.

"My son on the right is 16 months," Colletti declared in the post to Mama Bean, "and my friend's son is 18 months. I watch her son while she works and have been feeding them both for a year!" Colletti goes on to say that there is "much love between" the two children.

She also refers to them as "milk siblings."

Mama Bean likewise refers to the ensuing controversy over the picture as a "milk storm" and tells those grossed out by the activity to check themselves and listen up.

"If we filter past the shock fueled cries of 'gross,' there is a lot of love [in] this picture," writes the administrator of Mama Bean, only known as Louise. It's "a wonderful alternative to direct breastfeeding."

The idea of healthy women breastfeeding others' children has been around for a very long time.

They're called "wet nurses," and they were often, but not always, used by wealthy classes in society to spare rich mothers the trouble. Outside that, wet nursing was used for health or other reasons, too.

"For moms who struggle to pump [enough milk themselves]" or who experience other trouble breastfeeding, "the option of wet-nursing could be the perfect solution," explains Mama Bean.

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# Budget woes for Pa. social services

**Cash crunch.** For those serving the most vulnerable, the pain of a state budget impasse begins.

Social service organizations across Pennsylvania are bracing for a cash crunch as state payments meant for troubled youth, the care of the elderly and other vulnerable people are about to dry up.

The source of the financial woe is a budget impasse between Democratic Gov. Tom Wolf and the Republican-dominated legislature.

"The important thing is to get the message out how critical these dollars are, said Darlene Hewitt, executive director of the Village. "The legislature continues to get paid, but they aren't funding services for Philadelphia's children."

The two sides failed to reach an agreement in June after Wolf, who is seeking big increases in education funding, vetoed the GOP budget.

At the time, the Wolf administration advised contractors — these include highway constructions crews and social service agencies that services under government contracts — that they would continue to get paid as long as the expenses were authorized under the 2014 budget. His administration anticipated a one- or two-month lag time before payments began to diminish.

Hewitt said she, along with many of her peers, anticipates drawing down from lines of credit.

She said about 40 percent of her budget expenses of $1 million per month at the Village are reimbursed by the state.

While she doesn't want to cut services, she may slow down hiring.

"A lot of dollars we receive go to foster parents as stipends," Hewitt said.

A staff member at the Village / PROVIDED

**Quoted**

**"The legislature continues to get paid, but they aren't funding services for Philadelphia's children."** Darlene Hewitt

"We feel it's just critical to keep those dollars flowing. There isn't much we can cut to curtail spending."

Steve Miskin, press secretary for GOP Speaker Mike Turzai, laid the blame for the impasse at Wolf's feet, saying payments to agencies would be there if not for the budget veto.

Wolf's team didn't immediately respond to a request for comment, but a spokesman for the governor told Newsworks that the administration wants to minimize the impact of the budget stalemate on human services.

"The governor's strong preference is a balanced budget with a severance tax to fund our schools and adequate funding for social services — for the first time in many years," said Mark Nicastre, the governor's director of communications.

In the past, the state has written big checks to reimburse nonprofits for the work they do during the budget stalemates. But they don't pay for the interest the organizations incur from drawing down lines of credit. That means they have to go begging donors to pay those bills.

Many social service providers are still paying bills related to the last budget impasse — in 2009.

"Most donors don't want to pay for interest," said Anne Gingerich, executive director for the Pennsylvania Association of Nonprofit Organizations.

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# Court. Self-defense claim by man accused of hiding body in suitcase

The man accused of killing an acquaintance and stuffing his body in a suitcase told two jailhouse snitches he killed in self-defense, according to court testimony.

A preliminary hearing was held Tuesday for Thomas Brennan, who is accused of killing Scott Bernheisel and then dumping his body in Tinicum Township near the airport. Bernheisel's body was discovered in May by a man walking his dog.

Brennan, 25, allegedly told one man in a holding cell at Philadelphia Police headquarters that an argument erupted after Brennan rebuffed Bernheisel's sexual advances. He said Bernheisel attacked him, and was killed after Brennan was able to wrestle a dumbbell away and bludgeon him with it.

He told a cellmate at Curran-Fromhold Correctional Facility that the argument erupted after Brennan refused to sell drugs for Bernheisel.

Scott Bernheisel, the victim
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Brennan told both informants that he stabbed Bernheisel to make it look like he'd been killed in a "mafia hit," apparently because Brennan believed that the dead man had some sort of connection to Italian and Mexican organized crime.

Eric Konewal, Brennan's cellmate at CFCF, said he asked if there was a lot of blood after the stabbing.

"He said 'Let me give you a tip: If the heart isn't pumping, there won't be any blood,'" Konewal said.

In a strange turn of events, the judge also heard the tale of Brennan's attempted escape while inside a police holding cell.

Officer Jason Daniel said Brennan was able to get access to a crawlspace in the ceiling. He hung out up there, refusing to come down as cops in the detention unit tracked him using the sound of his footsteps above the ceiling.

He finally agreed to come down after officers threatened to send up a dog.

Brennan is charged along with his girlfriend, Crystal Leibhart. She is accused of helping to dispose of the body. She did not appear in court on Tuesday. DAN KELLEY

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## Fraud. Nine indicted in $100M insider-trading ring aided by hackers

An alliance of mainly U.S.-based stock traders and computer hackers in Ukraine made as much as $100 million in illegal profits over five years after stealing confidential corporate press releases, U.S. authorities said on Tuesday.

The case marks the first time that U.S. prosecutors have brought criminal charges for a securities fraud scheme that involved hacked insider information, in this instance 150,000 press releases from distributors Business Wire, Marketwired and PR Newswire.

"This is the story of a traditional securities fraud scheme with a twist — one that employed a contemporary approach to a conventional crime," FBI Assistant Director-in-Charge Diego Rodriguez said at a news conference.

Prosecutors said that hackers based in Ukraine infiltrated press releases before they were due to be released by the distributors. The traders gave the hackers "shopping lists" of releases, prosecutors said.

The hackers created a "video tutorial" to help traders see the stolen releases, and were paid a portion of the profits from trades based on the information in them, prosecutors said.

Nine people were indicted by grand juries in Brooklyn, New York, and in Newark, New Jersey, on charges that they made $30 million in illegal profits starting around February 2010.

Five of the nine charged were arrested on Tuesday, prosecutors said. They said international arrest warrants were issued for the other four. REUTERS

# State of emergency stands, 150 arrested

Police were deployed during a protest in Ferguson. / GETTY IMAGES

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**"They are doing the same old stuff, taking our rights. ... They need to give us our space."** Roberta Lynch, Ferguson resident

**Ferguson.** The St. Louis police chief said police would give protesters leeway to march but said authorities had to maintain safety.

About 150 people have been arrested during several days of protests around Ferguson, Missouri, where largely peaceful demonstrations over police shootings of unarmed black men have been punctuated by flashes of violence.

Police said on Tuesday that 22 people had been arrested overnight in Ferguson and another 63 were arrested for trying to block a highway. On Monday, 57 people were arrested for passing barricades that blocked a federal court in St. Louis.

A state of emergency declared on Monday was still in effect for the Ferguson area, where protesters have been marching and staging acts of civil disobedience to mark the first anniversary of the shooting of unarmed black teenager Michael Brown by a white police officer.

Sunday night's rallies were marred by violence that included a drive-by shooting and several instances of rocks and bottles being hurled at police. A man accused of firing on police was shot and critically wounded.

On Tuesday, police braced for more protests in Ferguson, while some residents expressed frustration over what they see as a persistent cycle of violence and bias. REUTERS


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# Toxic rivers stay closed until Aug. 17

**Flow.** The discharge has continued at the rate of 500 gallons per minute from the site of the Gold King Mine.

A photo released by the Environmental Protection Agency shows the orange-colored Animas River near Durango, Colorado. / EPA

Two rivers in Colorado and New Mexico hardest hit by contamination from toxic wastewater spilled from a defunct gold mine will remain closed to drinking water and irrigation intakes for at least another week, U.S. environmental officials said.

The San Juan River and its northern tributary, the Animas River, have been fouled by the release of more than 3 million gallons of acid mine drainage inadvertently triggered by a team of Environmental Protection Agency workers last week.

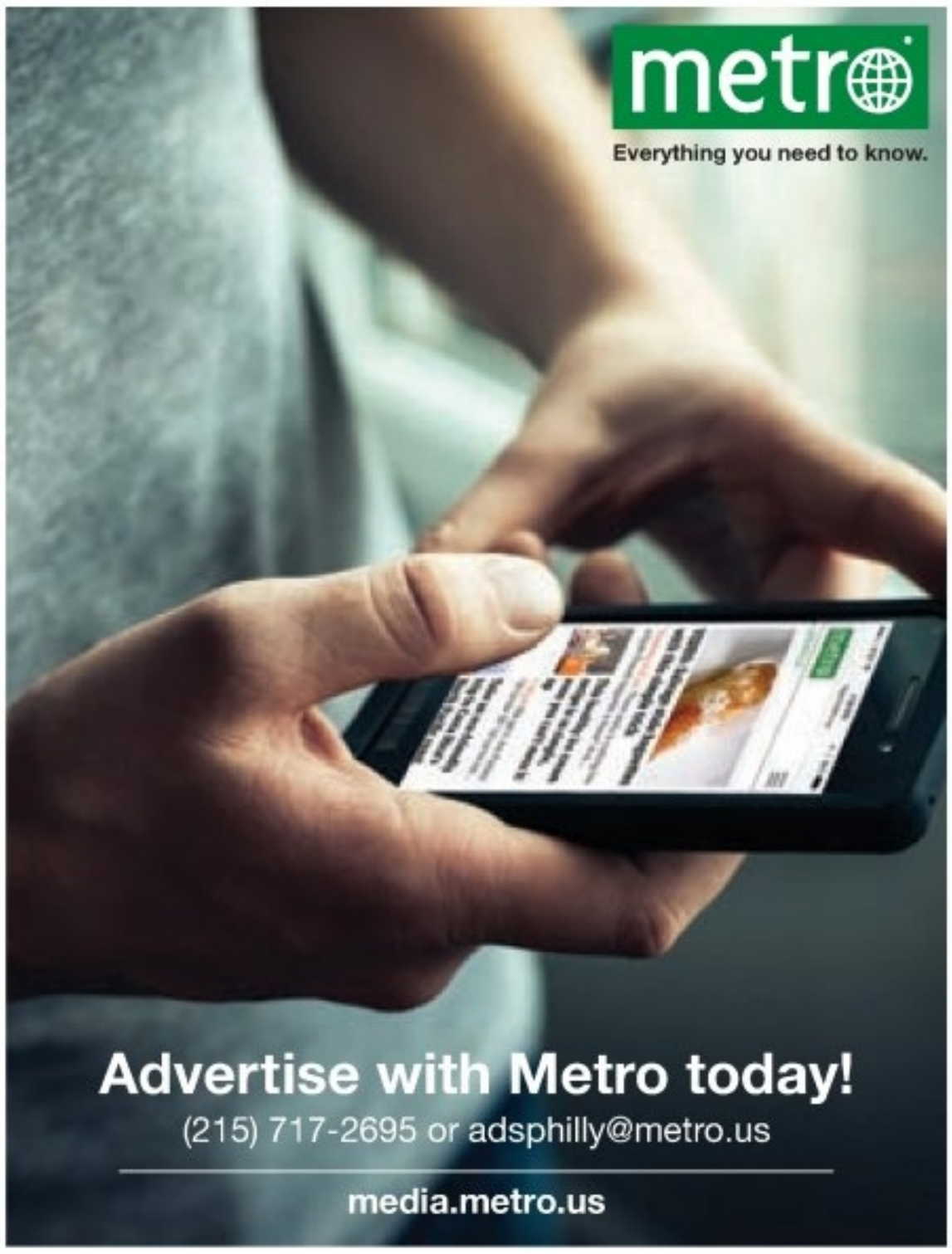
The wastewater has washed into the Animas River and into San Juan River in northwestern New Mexico.

The orange-tinged contamination plume, containing heavy metals such as arsenic, mercury and lead, has dissipated through dilution as it spreads downstream, with its leading edge no longer visible from aerial surveys, according to the EPA.

However, experts say a long-term concern is the deposit of heavy metals from the spill that have settled into river sediments, where they can be churned up and unleash a new wave of pollution when storms hit or rivers run at flood stage.

Two Colorado municipalities, including the city of Durango, and the New Mexico towns of Aztec and Farmington have shut off their river intakes, the EPA said.

EPA officials said the Animas and San Juan rivers would remain closed until at least Aug. 17 to drinking, irrigation supply, fishing and boating as experts try to gauge safety risks posed by the spill. REUTERS

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# Five things you need to know

## 1 Ex-Texas Gov. Rick Perry can't pay presidential campaign staff

Republican presidential candidate Rick Perry has stopped paying his campaign staffers, several media outlets reported, saying the former Texas governor's operations are running out of money.

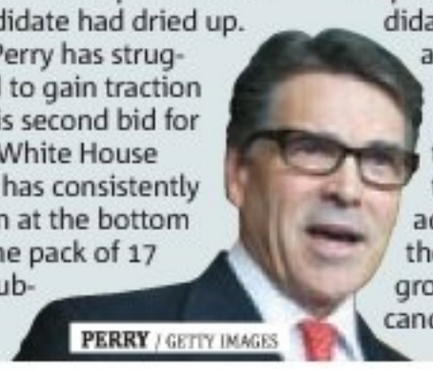
The Washington Post, citing campaign and Super PAC officials as well as other Republicans familiar with Perry's operations, said fundraising for the two-time presidential candidate had dried up.

Perry has struggled to gain traction in his second bid for the White House and has consistently been at the bottom of the pack of 17 Republicans seeking the party's nomination for the 2016 presidential election.

Perry's campaign manager last week told staffers after the Republican Party's first debate that they would no longer be paid, but most are staying on as volunteers, the newspaper reported, citing one Republican familiar with the situation.

A Super PAC aligned with Perry said it would step in to provide support and do some work normally handled by campaigns, such as building ground organizations, the Washington Post reported.

Super PACs and candidates' campaigns are not legally allowed to coordinate their activities, the newspaper added, although the fundraising groups can back candidates. REUTERS



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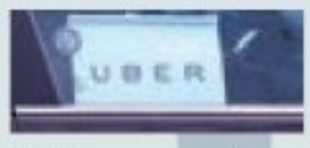
## 2 Illinois man pleads guilty to trying to join al Qaeda-linked group

A Chicago-area man pleaded guilty on Tuesday in federal court to a charge that he tried to travel overseas to join an al Qaeda-linked jihadist group in Syria.

Abdella Ahmad Tounisi, 21, of Aurora, Illinois, was arrested in 2013 as he prepared to board a plane at Chicago's O'Hare International Airport bound for Istanbul, Turkey, prosecutors said.

Tounisi, then 18, had spent four months conducting online research related to overseas travel and violent jihad, focusing specifically on Syria and the Jabhat al-Nusrah terrorist group, prosecutors said. REUTERS




## 3 Police search Uber offices in Hong Kong and arrest five drivers

Police raided the Hong Kong offices of taxi-hailing service Uber Inc. on Tuesday and arrested five drivers for the "illegal use of vehicles for hire," police said.

A Hong Kong police senior inspector, Bruce Hung, said undercover police officers had used a mobile phone app to hail five cars, and after being driven to their destinations, arrested the drivers.

The drivers lacked the required hire car permits or third-party insurance, he said. REUTERS

## 4 More than 30 arrested in Arkansas drug, gun case

More than 30 people in northeast Arkansas have been arrested on fire arms and drug charges in a major federal investigation, a U.S. Attorney's office said on Tuesday.

The U.S. Attorney's Office for the Eastern District of Arkansas scheduled a news conference later in the day to discuss the unsealing of 40 federal indictments charging 70 defendants with drug and gun crimes in the case, it said in a statement.

More than 550 law enforcement officials have been involved in the operation. Those arrested were due to appear in a federal court in Little Rock starting Thursday. REUTERS

## 5 Michigan jury says hugs in prison allowed, awards inmate $1,251

A Jackson, Michigan, inmate was awarded $1,251 after a jury ruled his rights were violated when a guard barred him from hugging his wife during a prison visit.

Kevin King, who is serving a life sentence for murder, was awarded $1 in Detroit federal court last week for a violation of his First Amendment rights and $1,250 as punitive damages.

Jurors found that officer Tiffaney Williams retaliated against King and his wife for previous complaints when the guard ordered them not to touch each other during a 2012 visit at a correctional facility in Jackson. REUTERS

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# Aide. White House staffer arrested for firing gun at her boyfriend

A White House aide has been placed on unpaid leave after police say she fired a shot at her boyfriend, a U.S. Capitol police officer, with his own service weapon.

She's a special assistant to the President, but her access to the White House has been revoked following her recent arrest. Police say 37-year-old Barvetta Singletary fired a shot at her boyfriend during a domestic dispute at her Maryland home.

According to charging documents, Singletary asked the officer to come over for sex.

After engaging in sexual intercourse, Singletary asked the officer about another woman he was dating and tried to access his cell phones.

She allegedly then grabbed the officer's service weapon and fired a shot at him. The officer got away unharmed and called 911. Police responded and arrested Singletary.

Singletary was released from a Prince George's County jail after posting a $75,000 bond. She's charged with assault and reckless endangerment. The White House has placed her on unpaid leave as they investigate the incident. REUTERS

Barvetta Singletary was confronting her boyfriend about his relationships with other women. / HANDOUT


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# Investing tips from the 'Richest Man Who Ever Lived'

Jacob Fugger may have lived during the Renaissance, but following his tips now could be your ticket to the high life. / ISTOCK

**Get rich.** Jacob Fugger is history's greatest financier — even though most people have never heard of him.

Warren Buffett and Bill Gates have nothing on Jacob Fugger, a German financier during the Renaissance who monopolized the silver business, became the banker of kings, convinced the papacy to legalize moneylending and paved the way for today's bond market. At the height of his career in the 16th century, Fugger (rhymes with "cougar") accumulated a fortune amounting to a significant portion of Europe's economic activity. And, yet, few people have ever heard of him.

A new book about Fugger, "The Richest Man Who Ever Lived," includes the money lessons for investors. Below is an edited interview with the book's author, Greg Steinmetz, who is a securities analyst and former journalist in New York.

**What money lessons can we learn from Fugger?**
Fugger had nerves of steel. Although he had great instincts, those instincts were always backed by superior information. He was one of the first businessmen north of the Alps to use modern accounting — he always had a firm grasp of the numbers. He could see the big picture better than any of his competitors. Investors today don't look at the numbers, let alone the footnotes of a 10-K, an annual report of a company's revenue and profits.

In addition, Fugger did not bail out at the first sign of trouble. The most common mistake that investors make is to sell low and buy high. Finally, he could always add value for his customers. He made himself indispensable. That kept him in the game.

**What was his biggest money mistake?**
There are a few failures. Some shipping deals didn't work out. The King of Spain raised money from investors to send a fleet to India. Fugger invested in the venture, and the ships never came back. He got the big things right, though.

The interesting thing about him is he just went from success to success. A rival of his had a bank — he was in mining like Fugger was — but he made a disastrous attempt to corner the mercury market and ended up dying in debtors' prison.

**Would Fugger have been a good hedge fund manager?**
Some people just have a gift for making money. He had the gift. The first large investment he made was not only with his money and family's money, but also with money from friends. How he convinced them that an unproven entity could make a massive bet on Austrian silver is beyond me.

He must have had a tremendous ability to instill confidence in people. Unfortunately, he didn't leave a diary. The evidence I relied on is fragmentary, including his accounting statements and letters to customers and creditors.

**What was Fugger's life like?**
He worked all the time, but for him, like Buffett, work was fun. Buffett says he tap dances to work every day because he loves it. I don't know for sure, but Fugger was made of the same stuff. He worked until his dying breath in 1525 at the age of 66. REUTERS

German financier Jacob Fugger was one of the first businessmen to use modern accounting. / GETTY IMAGES

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# 1 Taylor Swift's squad about to get a lot cooler

Here's something I didn't see coming: Taylor Swift and I might have very similar squad goals. Swift recently struck up a Twitter friendship with Patrick Stewart — so naturally I'm jealous — and now they're apparently ready to make the jump to friends IRL as well. "She's coming to town," Stewart tells E! News, adding that attending a Swift show is apparently in the cards for him and best pal Ian McKellen. "I think we're working on that. I mean, she's invited us into her squad." This is not fair, universe. Not fair.

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# 2 Howard Stern has all your Aniston-Theroux wedding details

Wish you knew more about the big surprise wedding Jennifer Aniston and Justin Theroux threw themselves last week? Howard Stern is here to help. The radio host and his wife made the superselective guest list, and Stern was more than happy to divulge details once back at his day job. Like, for instance, were they duped into thinking they were just going to a birthday party? "That was all horses—. Some people were left out of it, but they contacted us and said, 'Look, please don't tell anyone,'" Stern reveals. "They're so secretive, those two."

Stern was apparently a big part of the happy couple's to-do, as they even drafted him into giving a speech — about which he says he was "f—ing miserable" — and invited him and his wife to come along on their honeymoon to Bora Bora. But he had to decline that one. "I put my foot down," he says. "I said, 'Beth, I'm going home.' I was invited but, look, I got to get home." And if he hadn't, he wouldn't be able to share all this now.

# 3 Naya Rivera is blogging her pregnancy

NAYARIVERA, INSTAGRAM

Are you tired of celebrities being all coy and secretive about the details of their personal lives? Well, good news, because Naya Rivera is here to buck that trend. The former "Glee" star has been blogging her way through her pregnancy, and things are really starting to get interesting in her little world of oversharing. "After months of changes, anticipation and excitement, it's finally here — the third trimester," she writes. "When I reached the final leg of my pregnancy, I was ecstatic. I could see the finish line and it felt so good. Sure, my back was on fire and I was tipping the scales at numbers I didn't think I could ever reach, but who cares? We're almost done! Being in my third trimester means hard work is ahead and every day a new body part aches or seemingly falls apart. But it also comes with its share of really fun and exciting things, too." You can visit her blog for more on that, if you want to learn all about her nesting instinct and baby shower planning.

## THE WORD

Ned Ehrbar takes on the world of gossip.

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# 4 David Beckham: pro-binky

In one of the more obnoxious examples of tabloid overreaching, the Daily Mail recently criticized David and Victoria Beckham for letting their 4-year-old daughter, Harper, still use a pacifier after paparazzi photos showed her with one recently, fretting that it could lead to "speech or dental issues." Your concern is duly noted, Daily Mail. But Mr. Beckham is having none of it. "Why do people feel they have the right to criticize a parent about their own children without having any facts?" he posted to Instagram. "Everybody who has children knows that when they aren't feeling well or have a fever you do what comforts them best, and most of the time it's a pacifier, so those who criticize think twice about what you say about other people's children because actually you have no right to criticize me as a parent." So there.

Daily video

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## If landlords were honest

Ah, honesty. It's the best, isn't it? BuzzFeed has a new entry in their series devoted to the unvarnished truth, this one about those most noble and beloved folks: landlords. "It isn't an easy job like firefighting or being a governor," the video intones. But it's less an honest appraisal than a superhelpful how-to guide for property bosses out there. "Money orders tiptoe the line between ridiculous and inconvenient, so they're perfect," for instance. Or: "Every once in a while, shut off the water for 'maintenance.' What does 'maintenance' mean? I don't know, but the power of telling a tenant when they can and can't use the shower is just incredible." So, how's that gurgling sense of impotent rage treating you?

# 2 CULTURE

Twitter feed

**Today, Justin Bieber is keeping busy, John Stamos is all about napping, Rosie O'Donnell can spot a Twitter troll a mile away, Charlie Sheen is having an odd week and Ice T ain't having it.**

**@justinbieber: I'm in the studio finishing this album**

**@JohnStamos: Dear sleep, I know we had issues when I was younger... but I love you now.**

**@Rosie: so many eggs - so few followers ... makes one wonder**

**@charliesheen: I finally went next door to meet my neighbor. still speaking with Detectives as I write this. very bizarre Monday**

**@FINALLEVEL: On Twitter people will try and put words in your mouth...**

# Omar Sy wants France and Hollywood

**Interview.** The "Intouchables" and "Samba" star is huge. But in America, he's usually just a bad guy.

Omar Sy, right, with Tahar Rahim, plays a Senegalese immigrant in Paris who is struggling not to be deported in "Samba," in theaters now. / BROAD GREEN PICTURES

What kind of roles does Hollywood give Omar Sy, the star of "The Intouchables," the highest-grossing French film in history?

"Because I'm French it's often the bad guy," Sy tells us, laughing. "It's my accent."

That's odd, considering the movie that made him an international superstar. In "The Intouchables," Sy plays Driss, a French-Algerian who coaxes a grouchy businessman (Francois Cluzet) out of his shell. It netted Sy a Cesar, the French Oscar, and made him one of the nation's most popular stars.

Since then Sy, who moved to Los Angeles three years ago, has had small roles in "X-Men: Days of Future Past" and "Jurassic World." Neither was a villain role, but neither was remotely close to the fun Driss had in "The Intouchables," which isn't that far from the real Sy.

Then again, Driss isn't like the role he has in "Samba," directors Olivier Nakache and Eric Toledano's follow-up to "The Intouchables," and their fourth film with Sy. He plays the title character, a Senegalese immigrant in Paris who, thanks to a bureaucratic screwup, may get deported.

It's a movie Sy had to go back to France to make. "There are some movies I can't do here," Sy says. "I have a lot of stories to tell."

The subject of "Samba" hits very close to home for Sy. He's the son of immigrants who came to France in the 1960s, when there was a greater push to bring people from the outside into the country to do jobs no one else wanted to do. "Now they want to stop people from coming in. That's why you have more illegal people in France. Now people need work, but there's no more work. That's why they don't give out legal papers," Sy explains.

OMAR SY
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When his parents saw "Samba" they reacted differently to anything he'd done before. "They would always say, 'Good job, wonderful.' That's it. After 'Samba' we had a chat about the movie," he recalls, saying they were most struck by how things have changed. "That's why I love movies. You can have a drink after and talk about it. I had that with my parents for the first time."

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**One more thing**

## Make 'em laugh?

Of course, Sy's still making major transitions in American films; among his forthcoming films is a big role in the comedy "Burnt," starring Bradley Cooper, and another one of decent size in "Inferno," Ron Howard and Tom Hanks' third go at a Dan Brown thriller. He's been working on his English for three years and is mostly fluent, though his not yet firm grasp on the language is one reason he can't do comedy in Hollywood — the genre with which he made his start. "My humor is based on language, playing with words. I can't do that in English, for now," he says. "I'm not ready to make them laugh. I hope to, soon."


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# ‘STAR WARS’ IS DOING FAN SERVICE JUST RIGHT

It’s pretty great that, several months off, we still don’t know everything about who this “The Force Awakens” dude is. / LUCASFILM

This week we got a new trailer for “Star Wars: The Force Awakens” from the “Star Wars” Korea YouTube channel, with a couple seconds of new footage. I, like many of you, watched it over and over again, freezing the frame and speculating about what it all means. I’ve had discussions about this with less, um, fanatical “Star Wars” fans than myself, and argued about why it all means so much to me. Why should an extra two seconds of footage make me all teary? Why does it matter?

I’ve said this publicly numerous times, but I love the way the marketing campaign is being run here. We’ve seen all kinds of stuff, and yet we really know very little. I hate films that give away everything in the trailer, yet I’m poring over this one to squeeze out every little detail. I think that’s the point.

Fans like me want to watch these things again and again for the sole purpose of spending hours talking with friends and fellow fans about what it all means. We want the anticipation and the possibility that we ferreted out a detail or an idea before our friends did. We want these final few months to be about enjoying the anticipation, not knowing everything before we even see it.

Keeping the mystery while giving fans something to chew on is the perfect way to go about it, in my opinion. I’m excited, but by December 18 I won’t be burnt out. I loved “X-Men: Days of Future Past,” but the constant, almost daily stream of set photos and character portraits got so boring after a while that it took me weeks to care enough to see the film. I felt like I’d watched it already. “Terminator: Genisys” gave away every plot point in the trailer.

There is a lot riding on “The Force Awakens.” Will it make up for the prequels? Is this film going to be so good that I’ll be willing to watch stand-alone films and sequels and buy all the toys? Every “Star Wars” fan feels the fear (and we all know where fear leads). However, we also have the anticipation that this might just be good enough to change everything. In the meantime, this is a glorious tease and it’s nice to know that someone can do it right.

**Geek Girl in Hollywood**

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# A different kind of awards show

## Ceremony. Who will be crowned Geek of the Year?

As an example of the type of local geek culture that the Philly Geek Awards were created to celebrate, Eric Smith points to the response to hitchBOT's recent ill-fated visit to the city. No, not the act of wanton destruction that greeted him — which has of course been used to illustrate Philly's less-than-welcoming attitude — but the way that the local community rallied to condemn those actions and attempt to get the mechanical wanderer back on the road.

"I feel like the geek culture here in Philly is very supportive," says Smith, co-founder of the Geekadelphia website. "It's about trying to bolster everyone up instead of competing and tearing one another down, which is what I really love about it. Everybody's chiming in to try to do something fun and good, and that's what geek culture is all about here in Philly."

The Geek Awards will celebrate their fifth anniversary this weekend with a black tie ceremony at their usual venue, the Academy of Natural Sciences. Awards will be presented in a variety of categories including Scientist, Startup, Game, Social Media Project and Comic Creator of the Year, among others. Presenters will include Joel Hodgson, creator and original host of "Mystery Science Theater 3000," and Steve Morrison of WMMR's Preston and Steve Show.

For the purposes of the awards, Smith defines a geek as "someone that is fiercely passionate about one particular thing — or even a couple of things — to the point where it becomes part of who they are and what they do. And sometimes they use it to give back to the community that's inspired them and pushed them to this point."

The ceremony's most-coveted award is always the Geek of the Year prize, which stresses that altruistic side. This year's nominees are Jon Geeting, engagement editor at PlanPhilly, the independent news organization covering design, planning and development in the city; Ather Sharif, founder and researcher at EvoXLabs, who works to make the Internet more accessible for people with disabilities; and Alexis Jeffcoat, who's made Laurel Hill Cemetery an unlikely geek hangout.

Beyond comics

### Geek culture

While the line between geek and mainstream culture has become blurred with the explosion of superhero blockbusters and horror and fantasy TV hits, Smith insists that the Geek Awards help spread the word about less-recognized purveyors of true geekdom.

"You don't go to Comic-Con and hear about startups or web development projects," he explains. "We still spotlight comic books and video games, but we're trying to keep in mind that there's more to it than just the latest Marvel movie.

"Although I do love those."

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**Taurus** Don't hold back. Take the plunge and use your imagination to its fullest. Stop worrying about what others think or do.

**Gemini** Financial issues will prey on your mind. Check out a home-based or part-time job to subsidize your income. Cut out inessential expenditures.

**Cancer** You will receive helpful suggestions from an unlikely source. Your ability to see clearly will help you change your direction.

**Leo** If you don't make it clear where you want to be and what you want to do, you will end up in the wrong place doing the wrong thing.

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**Libra** Don't take what others do or say too seriously. You will be inclined to overreact to minor issues, causing you to miss something major.

**Scorpio** Problems with relatives require diplomacy and tact. Accusations or pointing fingers will cause a rift in your relationship.

**Sagittarius** Focus on money matters. Financial plans can be successful if you examine all of the details carefully. You will make more headway on your own.

**Capricorn** The daily grind will cause you to forget a promise. A short getaway will help clear your mind and confirm what you want to do next.

**Aquarius** You are a catalyst who can make things happen. Take charge of your life. Subtle improvements to your living space will make things easier.

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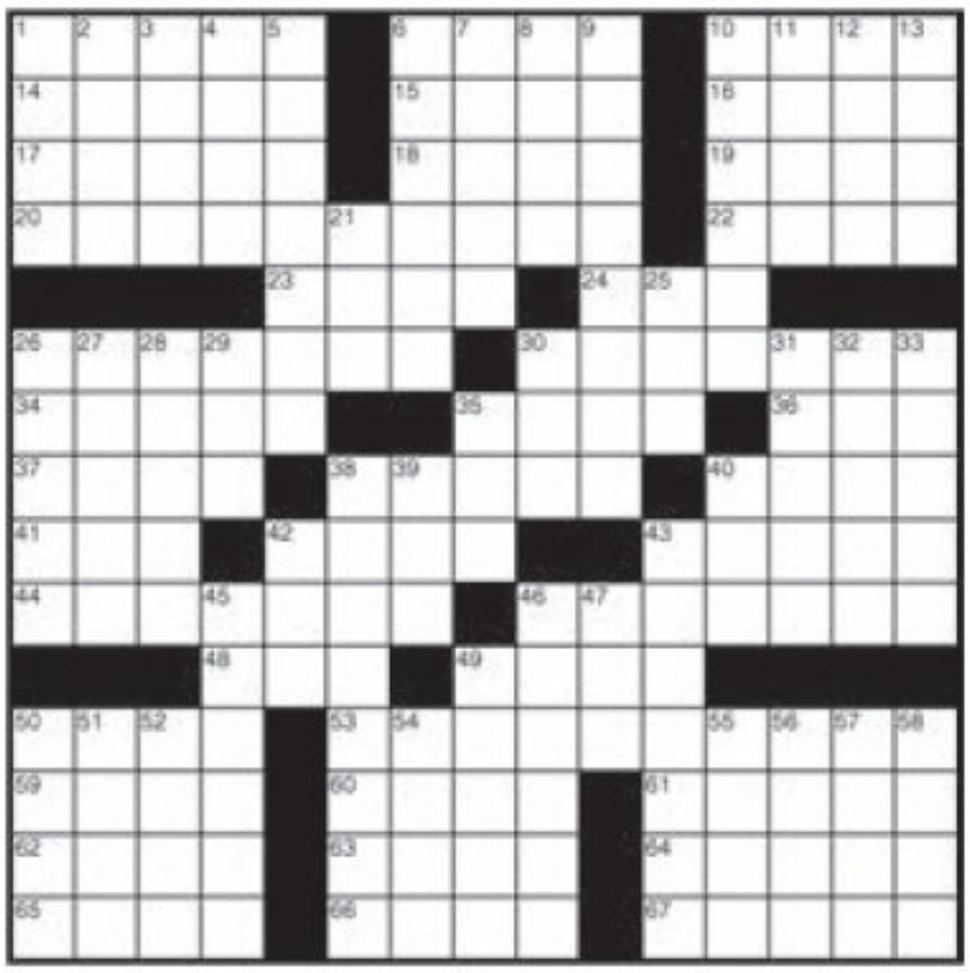

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22 Helper (abbr.)
23 Short rests
24 Windhoek's cont.
26 Unyielding
30 Albion, in poetry
34 Slander's kin
35 Designer label
36 Spiral molecule
37 "Terrible" tsar
38 Zodiac sign
40 Magellan discovery
41 Type of lettuce
42 Unctuous
43 Piglet's creator
44 Rubbing alcohol
46 Perfumed
48 Util. bill
49 Silvery fish
50 River sediment
53 Sheet candy (2 wds.)
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60 Nailed at a slant
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62 He played Obi-Wan
63 By Jove!
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65 Netting
66 "Finding Nemo" fish
67 Like pea-soup fog

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25 Balsam —
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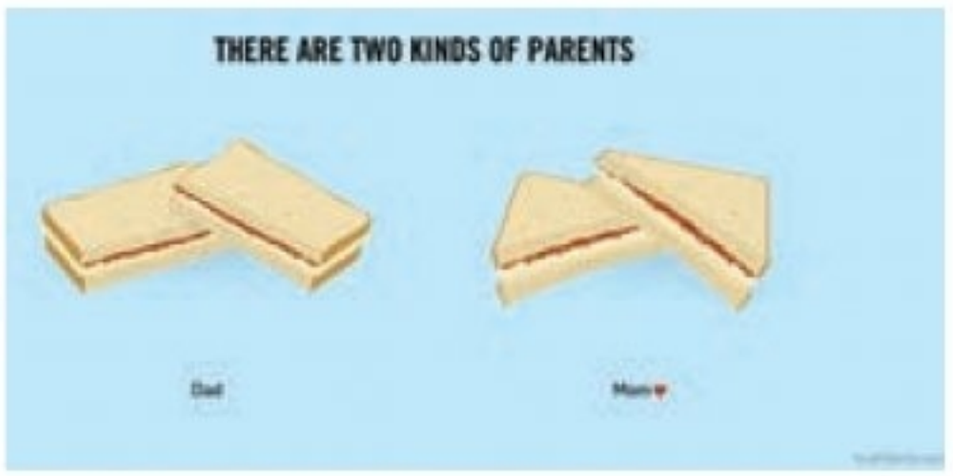


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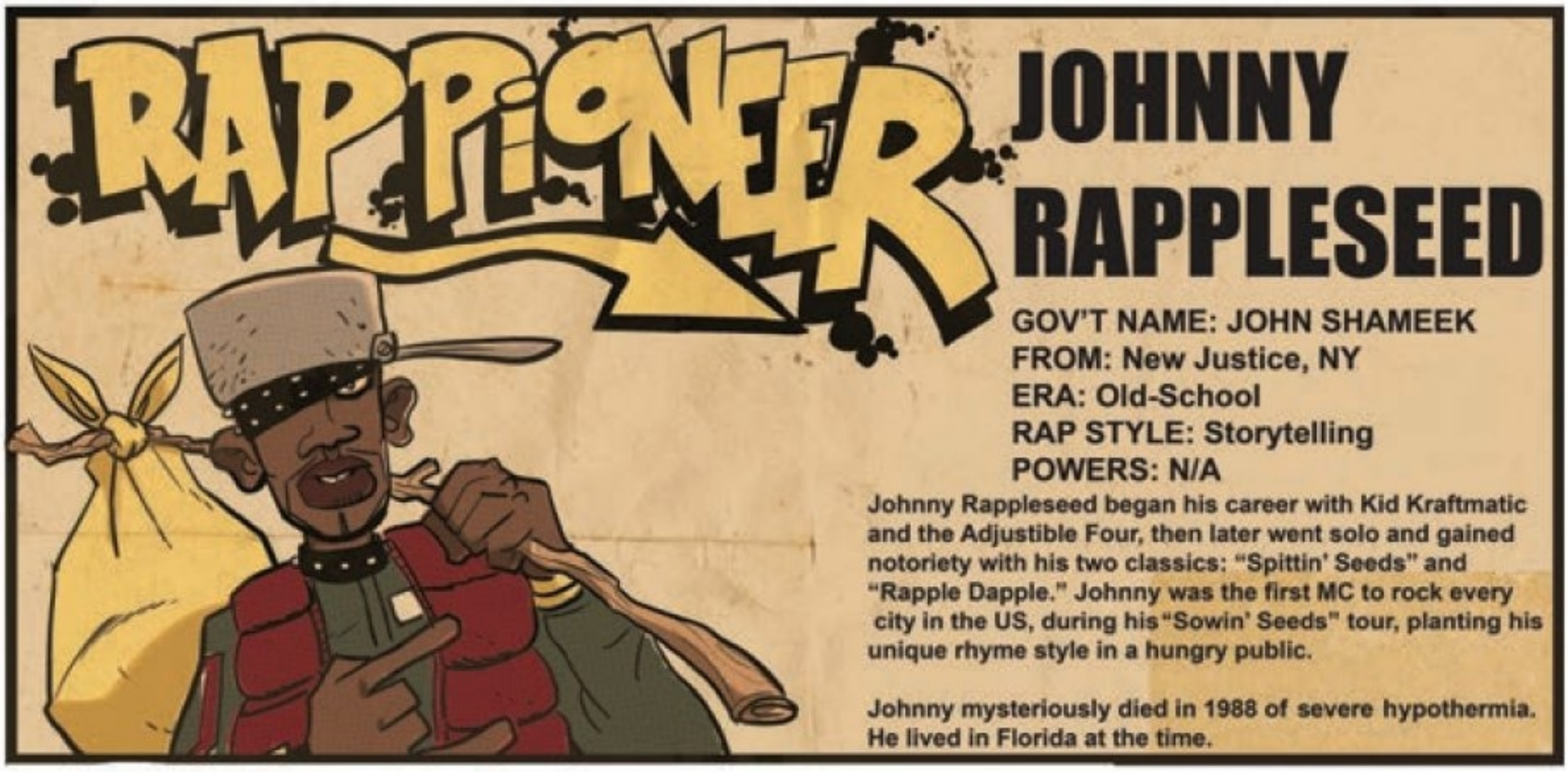
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"Charcoal is the new white *and* the new black," says Hobbs. ISTOCK

### Keep your palette low-key

You might be obsessed with burnt orange and magenta, but considering you won't be the one staying in the guest room, it's probably best to exercise some restraint with the color palette.

"When you talk about a guest room, it should be inclusive. There are going to be a number of different types of people staying there; it shouldn't really be a personalized room," Hobbs explains.

Instead, she says pick a neutral base, such as white, tan, chocolate brown or charcoal grey, which is Hobbs' personal favorite.

"Charcoal is the new white *and* the new black. It's really this fabulous base color that can be used in so many different applications," she says.

"I find that it's very versatile, adds warmth to a space and blends well with so many other colors."

# Make them feel right at home

Warning: With ideas from interior designer Cathy Hobbs, your guests are sure to overstay their welcome.

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**The summer entertaining season isn't over just yet, and that means it's not too late to revamp your guest room for company. Cathy Hobbs, interior designer, home stager and finalist on Season 6 of HGTV's "Design Star," shares her tips for setting up a guest room that might just turn your visitors into permanent roommates.**

### Say "hi" with a basket of goodies

Greeting guests with a welcome basket is a cute idea that will help family and friends feel comfortable from the moment they arrive.

"When you have an out-of-town guest, you want them to feel at home and comfortable for the time that they're there," say Hobbs. "Nothing quite says it better than a beautiful welcome basket."

It doesn't matter whether you splurge on extravagant items or go for cute budget-friendly finds like candy — the key is that it's personal. "Maybe that person likes bird watching and you have a little pair of binoculars," suggests Hobbs.

Another fun idea: Create a local-themed basket to help guests familiarize themselves with the area with maps, brochures and local products such as wines, syrups or jams.

### Layer up for a plush bed

The key to a luxurious bed is about much more than choosing an attractive duvet cover. Hobbs has a method of layering, which she calls "dressing a bed," that makes all the difference.

She begins with a feather bed on top of the mattress, followed by the mattress cover, high-end-cotton base sheets and top sheets. Then she finishes it with a duvet inside a cotton insert, pillow shams and decorative throw pillows. "I think it creates a really sumptuous bed when you layer your bedding," she explains.

The expert also loves to shop for affordable linens at Ikea, CB2 and West Elm.

Cathy Hobbs
CATHY HOBBS DESIGN RECIPES

### 'Slash' rooms

Unless you have guests in your home on a regular basis, Hobbs actually discourages having a guest room that serves no other purpose.

"I find that for most people, the guest room tends to be a discarded room, or a room that's a shrine to someone who shows up once a year. The room literally sits empty and dark. I encourage people to use their whole home and have that guest room have purpose. That purpose can be a home office, a meditation room, a spare place for kids to play," she explains.

While the room can have any function, it should not be used for storage. It should be "a purposeful functioning room within your home that is pulling double duty as a room that we use that we also transition for guests," she says.

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Seeing several dogs relaxing with their humans at an outdoor cafe is a common sight in Philly. ALL PHOTOS CAROL FORMAN

# It's a dog's world

Yappy Hour, anyone? Neighborhood groups like Queen Village K9 cater to the growing dog population.

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If you've seen more than one sophisticated poodle sitting outside of Parc or a friendly pit bull in a beer garden and think there seem to be more dogs taking advantage of city living, you aren't hallucinating canines. Philly loves its dogs, and it's showing in the reactions of neighbors and local businesses.

"Every year our adoption numbers have increased," says Ray Little, whose title is Director of Lifesaving at the no-kill animal shelter Saved Me. "I go back 30 years — nowadays you can't walk down the street without seeing numerous people walking their dogs."

Catering to the neighborhood pups are groups like Queen Village K9, a volunteer organization that maintains the dog run at Mario Lanza Park at Second and Queen. The group is an offshoot of the Queen Village Neighbors Association.

"It seems like everybody has a dog — it's really cool because Philly's such a great city for dogs," says Tina DiCroce, QVK9 co-chairwoman. "It's really nice to be able to not just go to the park and look at your phone, but get to know people in your neighborhood and build friendships and socialize your dog."

DiCroce took an interest in QVK9 last year after adopting her Labrador mix from a New Jersey animal shelter. The group meets weekly to clean up the dog run and holds events to raise money for maintenance and improvements, like Yappy Hours and holiday parties. Members chip in $50 annually.

"The worst thing is when I used to go to a dog park and the people wouldn't interact with anyone," says DiCroce. "They don't introduce themselves. Now that we've built this community, people are more sociable."

## Be a good four-legged neighbor

Ray Little of Saved Me animal shelter tells us what to keep in mind at the dog park:

- Bring water in case your pooch gets overheated.
- Keep your dog on a 6-foot leash that isn't retractable.
- Older dogs may not be as tolerant of younger dogs who are more energetic.
- Make sure that your dog is playing appropriately with other dogs.
- Unless it's a fenced-in area, keep your dog on the leash.

Little reminds us to make sure all the pups are playing nice.

QVK9 hosts fundraising parties for park improvements.

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## *Brady to appear tomorrow*

**Despite urgings from a judge in New York for Tom Brady and the NFL to settle, several sources have reported that a settlement is unlikely before Brady and Goodell are expected to meet Wednesday. Brady's four-game suspension was upheld by the NFL in his appeal earlier this summer.**

# Clock is ticking as Union continue to chase playoffs

**MLS.** The Union face a big match in Wednesday's U.S. Open Cup semifinal.

Wednesday's Open Cup match will air at 7:30 p.m. on U.S. Soccer's YouTube channel. / GETTY IMAGES

The Union (6-13-5) are running out of time to make a final playoff push this season and the club's front office is doing all it can during this crucial time period to bolster the roster with some extra talent that can help get them there.

In the span of two weeks, the Union have added Swiss midfielder Tranquillo Barnetta via a free transfer and defender Warren Creavalle via a trade with Toronto FC to give the Union some added firepower in the club's remaining 10 matches of the regular season.

Barnetta becomes the club's 15th foreign-born player on the roster and the fifth added by the team this season. Barnetta played for FC Schalke 04 during the 2014-15 season, and made 22 appearances while scoring three goals and adding five assists. Creavalle played in 24 games with Toronto, making 15 starts and notching two goals.

Despite recent struggles, the team is still aiming for a playoff position with 23 points, just five points off of the sixth and final playoff spot in the Eastern Conference.

As the Union move forward, they'll start with a U.S. Open Cup semifinal match against the Chicago Fire (6-12-4) Wednesday at PPL Park. They'll face them again Sunday, but at that time with points and playoff positioning on the line.

"We have a little grit and grind to us," said goalie John McCarthy, previewing this week's matches. "We know when we have to perform and every game is meaningful to us. We try to bring that [mindset] every time we step onto the field and this is a time to step onto the field and make something happen as a team."

In April, the Union had a similar situation when they faced New York City FC (6-11-6) twice in the span of five days. After a win and a draw, the Union came away with four points.

"Having home-field advantage is huge. It's difficult to go on the road whether it's in the Open Cup or the regular season. … Knowing that [Chicago] has struggled on the road a little bit this year plays into our hands a bit. [We] have our next two games against them in kind of this unique setup, and we'll have the opportunity to feed off the crowd, feed off the energy in the building and take care of business."

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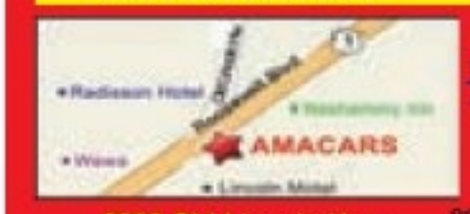


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**No. 1**

### Cardinals (71-40)

Another week and another week at the top of the rankings for the Cardinals. They have won seven of their last 10 and hold a firm grip on the NL Central. Their plus-121 run differential is the best in the NL.

**No. 2**

### Royals (67-44)

The Royals are picking a good time to play some of their best baseball of the entire season. The team is winners of four straight, and it leads the AL Central by a remarkable 12 games. They seem likely to be the favorites to come out of the AL as of now.

**No. 3**

### Pirates (65-44)

Winners of four straight games, although they didn't gain any ground in the division, the Pirates now have opened up a 3.5-game lead in the NL Wild Card. Pittsburgh will go as far as their pitching can take them as the season's stretch run arrives.

**No. 4**

### Cubs (62-48)

Chicago has won four straight and nine of its last 10 games, but the bad thing is they are in the best division in baseball as they are behind both the Cardinals and Pirates. If they were in any other division besides the AL Central they would be in first place.

**No. 5**

### Dodgers (62-50)

The Dodgers have lost four straight and now only lead the Giants by 2.5 games in the NL West. Clayton Kershaw and Zack Greinke have an ERA of 2.12, while the rest of the Dodgers' staff has an ERA of 4.25. They need the other pitchers to step up.

**No. 6**

### Yankees (61-49)

The Yankees have fallen back a bit as they have lost six of their last 10 to now hold only a 1.5-game lead over the Blue Jays in the AL East. Mark Teixeira continues his strong season at the plate, but the powerful offense needs to get better pitching performances.

**No. 7**

### Blue Jays (61-52)

Toronto is the hottest team in baseball as it has won eight straight games and nine of its last 10 to jump to second place in the AL East. The Blue Jays' plus-129 run differential is the best in baseball and by the way they approached the trade deadline, it's clear they are all in.

**No. 8**

### Astros (61-52)

The up-and-down season continues for the Astros as they have lost seven of 10 games, but fortunately still lead the AL West by one game. With their extensive activity at the trade deadline, anything less than a division title will be a disappointment.

# NFL. Kelly says Eagles 'couldn't pass up' trade offer for Boykin

After a season-ending injury to JaCorey Shepherd, the leading candidate to start at slot cornerback (in place of the recently traded Brandon Boykin), the Eagles are left with a wide open competition at nickelback.

But had they not traded Boykin to the Steelers the night before training camp began, they wouldn't be in this mess. Would they?

"For what we were offered," Chip Kelly said, "they brought it up to a fourth — we didn't feel like we could pass [on] that opportunity."

The conditional pick becomes a fifth rounder if Boykin does not appear on the field for 60 percent of Pittsburgh's snaps.

But even still, can Jaylen Watkins, E.J. Biggers or Denzel Rice, among others, play into a starting role?

Instead of a set player being named to the role of nickel, expect the Billy Davis defense to instead be a revolving door of different, multifaceted defensive backs. Nolan Carroll III, Eric Rowe and even Malcolm Jenkins could see time lining up at cornerback in the slot this season.

"If those guys aren't going to start they have to be versatile," Kelly said. "They have to be able to play everywhere."

The open competition in the secondary extends past just the slot corner position. Aside from Jenkins at safety and Byron Maxwell at cornerback, nothing has yet been determined on Kelly's depth chart.

And perhaps that's why Kelly has revamped this team in such dramatic fashion. The coach emphasizes flexibility in his players, teaching them and expecting them to be able to do a bevy of different things on the football field. It's as true on offense as it is on defense.

And in the secondary, perhaps Kelly finally has the personnel he desires.

"We just felt like we had really good depth in the secondary," the coach said. "It's better than we've ever had since we've been here."

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Even Chip Kelly's sports science regime can't eliminate all injuries on the football field. / CHARLES MOSTOLLER

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# Will Bradford be able to start in preseason?

**NFL.** Chip Kelly has not said one way or another, but Sam Bradford says he really wants to play.

It's getting closer and closer to Sunday, and Sam Bradford looks healthy in Eagles training camp.

He's gunning the ball in pads to tightly covered receivers and hitting them in stride. But will he play in the Eagles-Colts game to open the preseason?

Chip Kelly was noncommittal. And though he certainly respects his coach's decision, it is clear Bradford is itching to see some real game action.

"It's completely up to coach," Bradford said after practice Tuesday. "I need to get back on the field and get those reps. It's been a long time since I have taken live team reps. Whether that happens in the first, second, third or fourth game, that's up to coach."

In Tuesday's session at the NovaCare complex the Eagles practiced two-minute drills and with their backs to the end zone, among other situational scenarios. And Bradford split time between the first and second teams (as did many other players).

Playing with a lot of different teammates is a good way for Bradford, a hopeful team leader and starter for the Eagles, to build team chemistry. But he contends that playing Sunday is an even better way to introduce himself to the fans and players.

"You always want to make a good first impression, not only on our fans but also to my teammates," Bradford said. "None of these guys have seen me in a real game so making a good first impression to those guys is important.

"I think we have progressed quite nicely over the first week," he added. "It's something we will continue to build."

As for the knee, Bradford said it is getting stronger and is at a point where he no longer worries.

"Being out here for seven, eight days," he said, "initially I was a little, not worried, but kind of thought about the knee those first couple steps. I don't think about the knee now."

Not long ago with the Rams, Bradford was also asked to sit out the preseason opener. It's a feeling that isn't great, and one he hopes to avoid by lining up with the 1's Sunday against the Colts.

"I think it would just make me more anxious for the second game," Bradford said, entertaining the notion that he might have to sit out. "To have to wait another week to play [means] the buildup intensifies."

**Quoted**

**"If me playing in the first preseason game stops you guys from asking about my knee, I am all for playing in the first preseason game."**

Sam Bradford, joking with the media Tuesday

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While he's participated fully in training camp, the verdict is still out as to whether Bradford plays Sunday. / CHARLES MOSTOLLER

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# Eagles players with a lot at stake as preseason arrives

**NFL.** What does the slate of games mean for the Eagles and their roster?.

There are a lot of story lines to keep track of as the Eagles enter preseason play this coming week.

Undoubtedly, the first thing on many fans' minds is the health — and performance — of Sam Bradford. The Birds are all in on Bradford. If he doesn't pan out, their second-round selection and Nick Foles are gone for nothing.

Right up there with that then is both the emerging offensive line, apparently solidified except for right guard, and Zach Ertz's improvement as a blocker. With Bradford's injury history, the performance of the men protecting him will be key.

On the other side of the ball, the Eagles' retooled secondary will be in flux. We can watch for both the starters that emerge at cornerback and safety, as well as to see how new $63 million-dollar man Byron Maxwell plays without the Legion of Boom surrounding him.

Nothing really matters until the Eagles suit up and face an opponent for the first time. / CHARLES MOSTOLLER

**1 Indianapolis Colts, Sunday, Aug. 16, 1:00 PM:** There will be a lot of familiar faces when the Eagles meet the Colts in their first preseason game. Their two longest-tenured players prior to this offseason, guard Todd Herremans and defensive end/linebacker Trent Cole, will be suiting up for the other team. To add to that, running back Frank Gore, whom many thought was about to be announced as an Eagle this spring, is a Colt instead. Those three are part of a massive free agent haul by the Colts that also includes receiver Andre Johnson. This was the Colts' window to spend big before they have to make Andrew Luck possibly the most highly paid player in the game.

**2 Baltimore Ravens, Saturday, Aug. 22, 7:00 PM:** The Ravens saw a lot of turnover this offseason. Wide receiver Torrey Smith, defensive tackle Haloti Ngata and linebacker Pernell McPhee are all gone. They did manage to bring breakout veteran running back Justin Forsett back. It will be interesting to see who is stepping up in the receiving game with Smith and tight end Owen Daniels gone. Veteran Steve Smith is there and should be the leading target again, but beyond him it gets a lot younger and a lot murkier.

**Player to watch**

**According to Sam Bradford, one of the most exciting players to watch this preseason will be receiver Jordan Matthews:**

- "He's got great range," Bradford said. "A guy that big doesn't typically play in the slot. I think the fact that we do is very advantageous for us. To have a tight end and Jordan running down the middle of the field, those are big bodies, and targets you can throw to. He's made some catches this past week that have been very impressive."
- Bradford on Matthews' practice regimen: "I think that guy catches more footballs than anyone I've ever seen ... it has really showed up here."

**3 Green Bay Packers, Saturday, Aug. 29, 8:00 PM:** Don't get too excited if the Eagles' overhauled secondary starts intercepting a bunch of Aaron Rodgers throws — the same has been happening throughout Packers' training camp. It's just Rodgers purposefully throwing contested balls during practice to force his receivers to make a play on the ball. The Packers had a fairly quiet offseason. Wide receiver Randall Cobb was arguably the best free agent receiver available with Jeremy Maclin, but unlike Maclin, he stayed home. During the past two drafts the Packers have spent their first-round pick on safeties Eagles fans had in mind: Ha Ha Clinton-Dix in 2014 and Damarious Randall in 2015. Randall and second-round pick Quinten Rollins are reinforcements to replace several outgoing members of the secondary.

**4 New York Jets, Thursday, Sept. 3, 7:00 PM:** Even if you were a fan of Rex Ryan, it's hard to be too upset with the offseason the Jets had: They brought cornerbacks Darrelle Revis and Antonio Cromartie home. Leonard Williams, considered by many the best player in the draft, fell into their laps at pick six. Williams will get his chance early to step up on the defensive line following the four-game suspension of Sheldon Richardson for marijuana that may yet be extended because of street racing. The arrival of Brandon Marshall from Chicago gives Jets quarterback Ryan Fitzpatrick the best target he's ever had to throw to.

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